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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1286.
  - \$1206 for 67 total claims over 20.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Richard S. Norman et al.  
Appl. No. : 09/916,200  
Filed : 07/27/2001  
Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STORAGE AND PROCESSING OF  
ROUTING INFORMATION

Grp./A.U. : 2176  
Examiner :

Docket No.: 13733

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF  
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Submitted herewith is a copy of FORM PTO-1533 dated  
September 6, 2001 together with a Declaration and Power of  
Attorney signed by the inventors.

A check in the amount of \$1080.00 is also enclosed, which  
includes the government filing fee of \$370.00, \$65.00 for the  
late filing of the signed declaration and \$645.00 for additional  
claims. Any deficiencies in the fees may be charged to Deposit  
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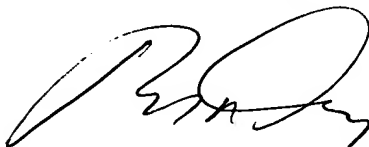
It is now believed that the application should be ready for  
normal processing. In the event any additional information is  
required by the Application Branch it would be appreciated if  
they would contact the undersigned attorney of record at the

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telephone number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ralph A. Dowell', is written over a horizontal line.

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